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A METHOD FOR THE CHARACTERIZATION OF

NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES INVOLVING

GENERATION OF EXTENDIBLE UPSTREAM DNA FRAGMENTS RESULTING FROM THE CLEAVAGE OF

NUCLEIC ACID AT AN ABASIC SITE

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